GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Agrl. & Coop. Deptt. – Sericulture – State Development Plan for 2016-17 – SCSP Schemes – Administrative sanction orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (HORTI. & SERI.) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.481. Dated : 12-07-2016.
Read :-

From the Commissioner of Sericulture, A.P., Hyderabad Lr.No.642/2016-TM1, dt.22.6.2016.

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O R D E R :

In the circumstances reported by the Commissioner of Sericulture, A.P., Hyderabad in the reference read above, Government after careful examination hereby accord administrative sanction for the following schemes proposed under State Development Plan for Scheduled Caste Sub-Plan during 2016-17 :

1. Suplly of High Yielding Variety saplings :

This is an **ongoing scheme**.

It is proposed to assist the small and marginal farmers for raising of high yielding variety mulberry to increase productivity and quality of leaf which in turn leads to increase quality and productivity of both BV & CB cocoons.

The scheme is proposed to be continued during 2016-17 with an outlay of Rs 327.60 lakhs and budget proposal under different categories is as follows.

Rs. In lakhs

S. No	Total No of Acres proposed	Unit cost / acre(Rs.)	Total cost	SCSP (75%)	Beneficiary Share (25%)
1.	107	14,000	14.98	11.235	3.745
TOTAL	**107**		**14.98**	**11.235**	**3.745**

2. Supply of quality disinfectants to sericulture farmers for increasing cocoon production:

This is an **ongoing scheme**. For assured crop yield and to increase in productivity, silkworm rearing sheds and appliances are to be disinfected thoroughly as per the suggestions given by Research institutes of CSB. For disinfecting one rearing shed and appliances an amount of Rs.5,000/- per year for 3 crops is proposed with 75% subsidy as per CSB norms for SC farmers to cover 600 rearing sheds.

(Rs. In lakhs)

Sl. No.	Total No of sheds	Unit cost (Rs.)	Total cost	SCSP (75%)	Beneficiary Share (25%)
1.	600	5000	30.00	22.50	7.50
TOTAL	**600**		**30.00**	**22.50**	**7.50**

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3. Assistance to farmers on cost of Bivoltine DFLs:

This is also one of the ongoing schemes. The Bivoltine silkworm rearing is sensitive, risk- involved activity and worms have to be reared in favourable climatic conditions. But Bivoltine silkworm rearing yields high quality reeling cocoons with high productivity to produce international grade raw silk and better returns to the sericulturists. Due to involvement of sensitivity and risk factors SC farmers are not showing much interest for taking up Bivoltine rearings. In order to encourage SC sericulture farmers to take up mulberry Bivoltine rearings, assistance is proposed @ Rs.250/- for 100 BVH DFLs with 50% subsidy.

(Rs. In lakhs)

Sl. No.	No.of DFLs (lakh nos)	Unit cost / 100 DFLs (Rs.)	Total cost	SCSP (50%)	Beneficiary Share (50%)
1.	4.50	500	22.50	11.25	11.25
TOTAL	**4.50**		**22.50**	**11.25**	**11.25**

4. Farm Mechanization:

This is also an **ongoing scheme**.

Sericulture is a labour intensive activity. Due to shortage of agriculture labour in rural areas, wage based labour rates have increased substantially and sericulture farmers are finding it difficult to engage labour for mulberry cultivation and silkworm rearing. Hence, there is a dire need to mechanize possible activities for mulberry cultivation and silkworm rearing and also to minimize expenditure on labour, to make Sericulture profitable.

It is proposed to provide Brush cutters, Sprayers, Shoot-crushers, Secateurs, Pick axe, Chopping machine, Tarpaulin, Crates, De-flossing machines, flame guns etc., under this scheme with maximum assistance up to Rs.20,000/- or 50% subsidy on unit cost whichever is less for mulberry sector.

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No	No.of Units	Unit cost (Rs.)	Total cost	SCSP (50%)	Beneficiary Share (50%)
1.	200	20,000/-	40.00	20.00	20.00
TOTAL	**200**		**40.00**	**20.00**	**20.00**

5. Production Incentive to Reeling Cocoons of the Farmers:-

This is an **ongoing scheme**.

Climatic conditions in many of the districts in the state are not suitable for silk worm rearing due variations in temperature and humidity, which play vital role silk worm rearing and production of quality reeling cocoons. Rearing activity in sericulture deals with livestock of silkworms for a period of minimum 26 days and yielding of quality Bivoltine cocoons without any crop failure is an achievement to sericulture farmers. To encourage bivoltine sericulture farmers to continue their rearings for production of quality Bivoltine reeling cocoons, an incentive of Rs.50/- per kg of BV reeling cocoons is proposed under the scheme.

(Rs. In lakhs)

S. No	Race	Total quantity	Total budget proposed	SCSP (100%)
1.	BV	270 MTs	135.00	135.00
		TOTAL	**135.00**	**135.00**

The existing guidelines for all the ongoing schemes are applicable for the schemes proposed under SCSP also.

2. The Commissioner of Sericulture, A.P., Hyderabad is requested to take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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The Commissioner of Sericulture, A.P., Hyderabad.
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